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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Mitsuaki OSHIMA et al. : Docket No. 2004_0198

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows: